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<b>TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371</b>		ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER <b>WP_21731-US U.S. APPLICATION PORTFOLIO, see 27 CFR 1.5 107559547</b>
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. <b>PCT/EP2004/005924</b>	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE <b>02 June 2004</b>	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED <b>06 June 2003</b>
TITLE OF INVENTION <b>INTEGRATED TEST ELEMENT</b>		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US <b>HOENES et al.</b>		
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:		
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Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:		
<p>11. <input type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.</p> <p>12. <input type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.</p> <p>13. <input type="checkbox"/> A preliminary amendment.</p> <p>14. <input type="checkbox"/> An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.</p> <p>15. <input type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification.</p> <p>16. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.</p> <p>17. <input type="checkbox"/> A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821- 1.825.</p> <p>18. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</p> <p>19. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</p>		

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File reference no.: WP 21731 US	International application no. (if known): PCT/EP2004/005924
Title of the invention: Integrated Test Element	
Earliest priority date claimed (Day/Month/Year): 06 June 2003	

 This is a new International Application

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- The invention disclosed was not made in the United States of America.
- There is no prior U.S. application relating to this invention.
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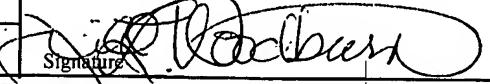
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- The present international application contains additional subject matter not found in the prior U.S. application(s) identified above. The additional subject matter is found on pages \_\_\_\_\_ and  DOES NOT ALTER  MIGHT BE CONSIDERED TO ALTER the general nature of the invention in a manner which would require the U.S. application to have been made available for inspection by the appropriate defense agencies under 35 U.S.C. 181 and 37 C.F.R. 5.15.

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I hereby subscribe my name to the foregoing declaration,  
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